

## **Transportation Establishments**

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## Abstract

Presents data for establishments with payroll from selected transportation services for the United States, each state, District of Columbia, and selected Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs). Presents general statistics on number of establishments, revenue, payroll, and employment by varied transportation classifications. Data are also provided on revenue and employees per establishment, and on revenue and payroll per employee. Comparative statistics showing percent changes in revenue and payroll between 1982 and 1992 are also shown for some kind-of-business classifications.

transportation services. Excludes firms without paid employees, governmental establishments, and auxiliary establishments.

## Sponsoring Organization

U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Business Division

## Availability

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## Source of Data

U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 1992 Economic Census; 1992 Census of Transportation (transportation companies).

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## Attributes

Geographic Coverage of Data: U.S. totals, state, District of Columbia, selected MSAs  
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## Significant Features/Limitations

Covers selected transportation industries as defined in Division E of the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual. Includes all establishments with one or more paid employees primarily engaged in these classifications: SIC 42, motor freight transportation and warehousing; SIC 44, water transportation; and SIC 47,

## Iowa Summary Statistics for the 1992 Census of Transportation

Kind of business	Establishments (number)	Revenue (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	Paid employees *
<b>Passenger transportation</b> .....	<b>131</b>	<b>38,433</b>	<b>15,201</b>	<b>1,835</b>
Local and suburban passenger transportation .....	82	16,698	7,684	1,045
Local and suburban transit .....	13	1,090	606	103
Other local passenger transportation .....	69	15,608	7,078	942
Taxicabs .....	17	2,234	996	130
Other bus transportation and terminal service .....	32	19,501	6,521	660
Intercity and rural bus service .....	9	3,765	1,059	59
Charter bus service .....	12	9,617	2,912	249
School buses .....	11	6,119	2,550	352
Bus terminal and service facilities .....	0	0	0	0
<b>Motor freight transportation and warehousing</b> .....	<b>2,286</b>	<b>2,450,603</b>	<b>576,266</b>	<b>26,050</b>
Trucking and courier services, except air .....	2,207	2,324,584	547,341	24,690
Local trucking without storage .....	1,010	377,205	72,211	4,317
Household goods moving .....	38	4,339	1,142	135
General freight .....	235	117,228	21,002	1,182
Garbage and trash collection .....	177	65,583	15,122	961
Dump trucking .....	167	53,542	10,603	562
Other local trucking without storage .....	393	136,513	24,342	1,477
Hazardous materials .....	18	7,859	1,820	90
Agricultural products .....	280	84,278	14,811	923
Other local trucking without storage, n.e.c. ....	95	44,376	7,711	464
Trucking, except local .....	1,078	1,711,731	380,256	15,924
Household goods moving .....	48	24,116	7,833	447
General freight trucking .....	656	1,434,567	321,804	12,924
Other trucking, except local .....	374	253,048	50,619	2,553
Hazardous materials .....	36	48,842	12,851	486
Agricultural products .....	239	132,794	22,213	1,293
Other trucking, except local, n.e.c. ....	99	71,412	15,555	774
Local trucking with storage .....	51	23,797	6,561	426
Household goods moving .....	20	6,243	2,018	176
Other local trucking with storage .....	31	17,554	4,543	250
Courier services, except by air .....	68	211,851	88,313	4,023
Public warehousing and storage .....	79	126,019	28,925	1,360
Farm products warehousing and storage .....	7	3,410	688	34
Refrigerated warehousing and storage .....	29	57,768	14,066	695
General warehousing and storage .....	33	61,734	13,452	597
General goods warehousing .....	22	59,513	13,226	573
Self-service or miniwarehousing .....	11	2,221	226	24
Special warehousing and storage, n.e.c. ....	10	3,107	699	34
Trucking terminal facilities .....	0	0	0	0
<b>Water transportation</b> .....	<b>42</b>	<b>104,469</b>	<b>13,649</b>	<b>538</b>
Water transportation of freight .....	2	**	**	CC
Deep sea foreign and domestic freight .....	0	0	0	0
Other water transportation of freight .....	2	**	**	CC
Water transportation of passengers .....	3	**	**	BB
Services incidental to water transportation .....	37	55,791	7,668	350
Marinas .....	21	13,437	2,207	99
Other services incidental to water transportation ...	16	42,354	5,461	251
Marine cargo handling .....	6	**	**	BB
Towing and tugboat services .....	6	9,742	3,726	202
Water transportation services, n.e.c. ....	4	**	**	AA
<b>Air transportation #</b> .....	<b>100</b>	<b>145,282</b>	<b>30,570</b>	<b>1,495</b>
Air transportation, including air courier services # .....	59	108,868	23,367	1,098
Scheduled and air courier services # .....	38	101,595	21,977	998
Nonscheduled .....	21	7,273	1,390	100
Airport terminal services .....	41	36,414	7,203	397
<b>Pipelines, except natural gas</b> .....	<b>18</b>	<b>57,461</b>	<b>7,787</b>	<b>182</b>
<b>Transportation services</b> .....	<b>318</b>	<b>90,312</b>	<b>31,609</b>	<b>1,877</b>
Arrangement of passenger transportation .....	242	43,028	18,430	1,293
Travel agencies .....	209	37,105	16,501	1,108
Other arrangement of passenger transportation ...	33	5,923	1,929	185
Tour operators .....	24	5,450	1,746	168
Arrangement of passenger transportation, n.e.c. ....	9	473	183	17
Freight shipping services .....	50	13,731	4,500	219
Freight forwarding .....	11	2,452	772	46
Arrangement of freight and cargo, n.e.c. ....	39	11,279	3,728	173
Other transportation services .....	26	33,553	8,679	365
Rental of railroad cars .....	3	**	**	AA

## Iowa Summary Statistics for the 1992 Census of Transportation (continued)

Kind of business	Establishments (number)	Revenue (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	Paid employees * (number)
Miscellaneous services incidental to transportation	23	**	**	EE

\* Paid employees for pay period including March 12.

\*\* Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual companies; data are included in broader kind-of-business totals.

# Data do not include large, certificated passenger carriers that report to the Office of Airline Statistics, U.S. Department of Transportation.

AA = Employment size 0-19.

BB = Employment size 20-99.

CC = Employment size 100-249.

EE = Employment size 250-499.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1992 Census of Transportation, Communications, and Utilities*, UC92-A-1 (Washington, DC: 1995).